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Applicant : Juerg Haufe, et al.
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STATUS LETTER

Commissioner for Patents,
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Sir:

It is respectfully requested that this Status Letter be returned to:

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with an indication as to when an action may be expected.

Respectfully submitted,

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